GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Elections – Administrative Sanction for an amount of Rs1,00,00,000/-(Rupees one crore only) to meet the legal charges and remunerations to the Legal Adviser to be appointed by the State Election Commission – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (E&R) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 81 Dated: 22-02-2021.

Read the following:

1. From the AP State Election Commissioner Letter No.239/SEC.A/2020 Dt.05.11.2020
2. G.O.Rt.No.2749, Finance (FMU-PR&RD) Department, Dt:11.11.2020.
3. GO Rt No.658, PR&RD(E&R)Department Dt.20.11.2020.
4. Letter No.PRR01-SEC0MISC/3/2020-ELEC-R, Dt.20.11.2020.
5. From the AP State Election Commissioner Lr No.257/SEC-L/2020 Dt.22.12.2020.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the State Election Commissioner, AP has requested the Government to provide additional funds of Rs.1,50,40,000/- (Rupees One Crore fifty lakh forty thousand) for payment of remuneration of legal expenses to the Advocate on Record and Senior Advocates both in Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the Hon'ble High Court and also payment of remuneration to the Legal Advisor to be appointed by State Election Commissioner and Administrative Expenses.

2. In the G.O 2nd read above, the Finance (FMU-PR&RD) Department have issued Budget Release Order for an amount of Rs.1,50,40,000/- (Rupees One Crore fifty lakh forty thousand) as additional funds in relaxation of treasury control and quarterly regulation orders pending provision of funds by obtaining supplementary grants at an appropriate time during the Current Financial Year 2020-21 to meet the legal charges and remunerations to the Legal Adviser to be appointed by the State Election Commission & Administrative Expenses.

3. Government vide reference 3rd read above have issued administrative sanction for an amount of Rs.50,40,000/- (Rupees Fifty lakh forty thousand) in the first instance as additional funds in relaxation of treasury control and quarterly regulation orders pending provision of funds by obtaining supplementary grants at an appropriate time during the current Financial Year 2020-21 to meet Administrative Expenses as per the BRO issued in the 2nd read above, and vide reference 4th read above requested the AP State Election Commissioner to furnish details of the expenditure (including pleader fee structure etc.,) in-respect of release of remaining amount of Rs.1.00 Crores.

4. The AP State Election Commissioner vide reference 5th read above has requested for release of additional budget of Rs.1,00,00,000/- (Rupees one crore only) to meeting the expenditure of legal charges and remunerations to the Legal Adviser to be appointed by the State Election Commission. Regarding details of expenditure, he has informed that the Commission will provide all the particulars of post expenditure.

5. Government after examination of the matter hereby accord Administrative Sanction for Rs.1,00,00,000/-(Rupees one crore only) as additional funds in relaxation of treasury control and quarterly regulation orders pending provision of funds by obtaining supplementary grants at an appropriate time during the Current Financial Year 2020-21 to meet the legal charges and remunerations to the Legal Adviser to be appointed by the State Election Commission subject to furnish details of the expenditure after incurring the actual expenditure.

6. The amount sanctioned at para five(5) above shall be debited to the following head of Account:

(Rs.in Lakhs)

S.N	Head of Account	Charged/ Voted	Provision in BE 2020-21	Additional Amounts Sanction	Amount Reappro-priated	Total Provision in BE 2020-21	Amount Already Authorized	Amount Authorized Now	Balance Amount Available
Scheme Name: State Election Commission Procedure of Drawal of Funds: Detailed Voucher Bill Drawing Officer: Concerned DDO									
1	2515001010021280281	V	7.00	100.00	0.00	107.00	7.00	100.00	0.00
Total			7.00	100.00	0.00	107.00	7.00	100.00	0.00

7. The Secretary, AP State Election Commission, Vijayawada shall take further action duly obtaining necessary authorization from the Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam, A.P., Vijayawada.

8. This order does not require the concurrence of Finance (FMUPR&RD) Department in view of the BRO issued in the reference 2nd read above.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

The Secretary, AP State Election Commission, Vijayawada
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Ibrahimpatnam, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, A.P., Vijayawada.
The OSD to Chief Secretary.
The Finance (FMU-PR&RD) Department, AP Secretariat, Amaravati.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER